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- 1. EMBASSY DISCUSSED NEW SITUATION REGARDING HEADMASTER WITH DR. GORDON PARSONS DURING HIS VISIT COLOMBO. ENROUTE HOME PARSONS ARRANGED INTERVIEW WITH JOHN PATERSON, PRINCIPAL OF COMMUNITY SCHOOL, LONDON. MEMBER OF BOARD OF OVERSEA CHILDREN'S SCHOOL (OCS) JAMES DANIEL (BRITISH), WHO ON LEAVE LONDON, ALSO MET WITH PATERSON. IN CABLE RECEIVED BY EMBASSY MAY 13 DANIEL STATES PATERSON OUTSTANDING AND RECOMMENDS OCS CONSIDER ENGAGING PATERSON, EVEN THOUGH HE WOULD NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL JANUARY 1975. PATERSON WISHES VISIT COLOMBO IN JUNE TO DISCUSS EMPLOYMENT WITH OCS BOARD.
- 2. EMBASSY REQUESTS DEPARTMENT PROVIDE RECRUITMENT GRANT OF \$1000 TO COVER COST PATERSON TRAVEL TO COLOMBO FOR INTERVIEW. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE EARLY CONSIDERATION OF EMBASSY REQUEST CONTAINED COLOMBO 1135 FOR GRANT OF \$17,000 TO ENABLE SCHOOL CONTINUE TO EMPLOY TWO AMERICAN LOCAL-HIRE TEACHERS. VAN HOLLEN

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